THE WEATHER.
Fair tonight except rain along the lakes. Wednesday fair.

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THE FLAMES PREVENT WORK OF RESCUE.

Fifty Miners Were Buried By a Gas Explosion Which Nearly Destroyed Leiter's Works.

FIFTEEN BODIES RECOVERED AFTER HOURS OF TOIL.

So Great Was the Impact That a Steel Cage Was Blown 500 Feet Through the Shaft

While the Explosion Was Felt Many Miles Away—Rescuers Having a Hard Time.

Duquoin, Ill., April 4.—As a result of a gas explosion in the Ziegler mine of Joseph Leiter at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, forty men are dead and eight wounded.

The accident is the most disastrous in the history of the Southern Illinois coal fields. The cause of the horror will probably never be known.

Without the slightest warning of an explosion a crash plainly heard for several miles distant emanated from the main air shaft, wrecking everything in its path. Its nature and deadly mission were soon revealed when the leaping flames and clouds of smoke issued from every mine exit.

The news flashed to every home in the little mining camp and in a few moments hundreds of mothers, wives and children had assembled about the stockade to learn of the terrible affair.

Gases Prevent Rescue.

The escaping gases retarded the work of rescue to some extent before the men could reach the entombed miners the lives of all but two had been snuffed out. These, together with four dead bodies, were brought to the surface. The effect of the gas on the men rendered further search impossible. It will be resumed as soon as the mine can be properly ventilated. It is now thought that every man entombed is dead.

The most plausible theory as to the cause of the accident is the failure of the company to operate the large fans which circulate the air during the past several days. Improper ventilation, it is generally thought, has promoted the accumulation of gases, which, when coming in contact with the lights of the miners' lamps, ignited and exploded.

The main shaft of the mine is practically a total wreck. The concussion of the explosion struck a cage of mechanics waiting to be lowered into the mine, killing one of the men outright and horribly injuring several others. The cage was blown to the bottom of the shaft, a distance of over 500 feet where it is now lodged. A workman on the air shaft was hurled by the explosion 60 feet in the air and fell outside of the stockade nearly a hundred yards away uninjured.

Fall While at Work.

The rescuing parties state that the bodies of the men were found where they had been working, every means of escape having been choked by the flames and smoke. Everything is being done to alleviate the sufferings of the wounded at the recently erected hospital. The dead bodies have been placed in the morgue to await disposition.

Coroner Adams of Franklin County empanelled a jury yesterday to begin the work of holding the inquest.

The various unions of Perry County proferred any assistance to the Ziegler Coal company in rescuing the men, but received a reply that they deemed it adviseable not to accept in view of the strained relations between Joseph Leiter and the unions.

The outskirts of the town are patrolled by mounted guards who deny admittance to suspicious parties. None but members of the rescuing party are permitted within the stockade.

The supply of caskets in Ziegler has already been exhausted and an additional twenty has been ordered from St. Louis.

The circulation of air will probably be sufficient to resume the work of rescuing the bodies this morning when the extent of the wreck on the interior of the mine can be ascertained.

Joseph Leiter will arrive in Ziegler from Chicago this morning.

Out of the shaft's wide mouth there whirled a cloud of flame, red as the human blood it was to cost, that hovered in ominous silence for a second, burst with the terrifying roar of explosive clouds and left the dead bodies of what is now believed to be fifty or sixty miners in the train of blaze. The solid ground shook as if from the grasp of an earthquake. Wide cracks, from which smoke and flame and gas still gasp with their last breath, mark the scene of the tragic explosion. Tracks and ties of the railroad and timbers from the mines were scattered far and wide and carried high in the air by the malign power of the explosion.

Six forty-five o'clock yesterday morning timed the dread catastrophe and a short while after one man escaped to join the frantic and mad crowd of living gathered around the entrance of the mine that had become a tomb for the slain toilers; at 11 o'clock two more comrades, cruelly harmed, dragged their way to safety and firm ground and now lie hovering between life and death.

Flames Prevent Rescue

Although heroism is not lacking or self-sacrificing heroes wanting, and numbers stand ready, with the single-hearted devotion that characterizes the miner, to rush to the assistance of those who may be still living and suffering in the bowels of the earth, still all attempts to rescue are forbidden by flame, heat and suffocating gases, and the very road itself is barred by the debris that the explosion piled up behind it as if to cover its retreat.

While the exact number of men who went down into the mine and to their probable death yesterday cannot be compiled from the information now at hand, it is reported by the checkman that they number between fifty and sixty. State Mine Inspector Atkinson reported after his first official examination of the colliery that 180 men were employed in the two shafts.

The cause of the explosion still remains enshrouded in mystery; various sources trace it to a violent expansion of coal dust; others ascribe it to the ignition of fire damp by the head lamp on one of the miner's caps.

History of Town.

Great as is the role that Ziegler has played in recent newspaper history the town is hardly two years of age: for not until 1903, when Mr. Leiter put his engineers to work, did any one suspect the existence of its opulent coal fields. Quietly options were secured on 7,500 acres on the Big Muddy river; machinery was installed and the town went up with a frontier-like rapidity, and today Ziegler, which is named after the late Levi Zeigler Leiter, Joseph Leiter's father number 111 modern houses. The town boasts of water works, shade trees, a hospital, various company buildings and a company store stocked with goods appraised at $10,000.

The difference between young Joseph Leiter and his union men employed originated in a dispute over the new machinery he installed and a debate concerning the amount of coal that should be handled by the new electric shovel that was part of the equipment.

Brings Things To Crisis.

The difference went on waxing all through the period of construction, until on July 5, 1904, Joseph Leiter brought things to a crisis by offering his men what was said to be 16 cents below the scale price fixed per ton by the United Mine Workers of America for Williamson county, and Williamson county has the lowest scale in the state. This was the argument and counter argument, and back and forth the war of words drifted continually to the electric loading device. Mr. Leiter insisted that the machine was capable of handling 500 tons a day; the men declared it could handle but seventy-five tons a day, and if seventy-five instead of 500 tons was the limit of the electric machinery's capacity then it meant that wages would tumble down below the standard fixed by the scale.

On July 7, 1904, all hands were idle. The day thereafter a notice was posted ordering all persons who had had any occupation in the mines and who were not then at work to vacate their houses and quit town, four days being given as a limit. The ukase effected its purpose and two-thirds of the miners were out of the place at the time specified. Others were permitted to leave at their leisure.

Town is Fortified.

Extensive and protracted labor troubles followed in swift succession; armed guards were placed in the town and the Governor ended by hastening the militia thither. Leiter's name became more and more a matter of newspaper record and interest, and there were spectacular accounts written of his defending his own property, revolver in hand, against the attacks of his enemy, and before long Zeigler was stockaded and fortified until it looked more like a town of war than a town of industry.

The Illinois Central train which runs from Du Quoin to Zeigler ceased to enter the town, and stopped two and a half miles short of the station, and passengers dropped out on the open prairie were met by armed guards. If they had not the proper credentials they were taken to a farm building near by, which was used as a sort or guard house and connected like six of its type, with the superintendent's office by telephone. If the chiefs at the other end of the telephone were satisfied that the passengers were of the right sort they were allowed to enter the sacred grounds of Zeigler, if not they were sent another way.

'M. E. Z.'

Confesses He Has Committed Six Murders for Which Innocent Men Have Been Hanged.

Trenton, N. J., April 4.—Charging himself with six murders for which innocent men were hanged, a man in Pittsburg signing himself "M. E. Z." has written to Governor Stokes to say that Arthur Lasker, of Patterson, sentenced to die for the murder of Max Wollenberg in that city, is guiltless, and he, the writer, is the murderer.

The letter was turned over to the Court of Pardons. It follows:

"Pittsburg Penn., March 28, 1905.

"Hon Edward C. Stokes, Governor —Dear Sir. Arthur Lasker is not guilty of the death of Max Wollenberg. I am the guilty man. I meant to do it, and I did it. But I am not willing to see this poor old negro die for this crime. I dare say many have gone over for what we white people have done. Six already have died for crimes I alone have committed. I am writing to the President of the United States to save this poor old negro. I am on my way west.

"M. E. Z."

MOB SURROUNDS THE RESORT.

Making Threats of its Destruction By Burning.

Incipient Riot In Springfield Recalls That of a Year Ago When Dixon Was Linched

Springfield, Ohio, April 4.—A mob, similar to one which a year ago lynched the negro Dixon and burned the levee, is congregating with the avowed purpose of burning a resort run by Joseph Kempler. Nearly a dozen arrests of suspicious acting persons have been made by detectives.

The square in which Kempler's place is located is being patrolled by police.

The reason for the gathering of the mob was a publication in a local newspaper, with a cartoon, in which the saloon was characterized as a "notorious resort" known as The Jungles. It has been known for weeks that Kempler has been running an objectionable place, but, although the police have raided it frequently, no special mention has been made of it until yesterday morning.

The mob tonight began to form early and it acted similar to that which lynched Richard Dixon and burned the Levee a years ago last March. It was not boisterous. Men talked in subdued voices and quietly surrounded the resort. Early in the afternoon it had been rumored that a crowd was going to burn the saloon and drive the proprietor out of the city. When the police heard that the mob was gathering a squad was sent down hurriedly and the crowd was forced back and a guard line stretched. Kempler was badly frightened and closed up his place as soon as he saw there was trouble ahead.

When the levee was burned the element that infested it scattered, and a large number of these people have been making "The Jungles" their headquarters. The resort run by Kempler and his wife. It is frequented by low white and blacks. The building is a one-story affair, and sets back from the street. A gang of tough-looking men and women are always in the place or hanging about it. At night they hold high carnival gambling drinking and dancing. It is another place similar to the notorious hinky dink on the levee. At 12 o'clock all was quiet, although quite a crowd still remained. Eight men have been arrested so far. The police are determined to prevent the mob from carrying out its threat, if possible. All the saloons in the vicinity are closed.

A motion asking for a change of venue in the case of David Wilborn, administrator of Richard Dixon, who was lynched, against the Board of County Commissioners, was submitted to Judge Kunkle today, and he reserved his decision.

HEAVY VERDICT

Returned in the Hicks Damage Case Last Night.

The Second Trial Results in a Heavier Verdict Than the One Found Before.

The second trial in the Hicks damage case came to a close last evening at eight o'clock and resulted in one of the heaviest verdicts ever returned in the local courts, the jury finding for the plaintiff damages in the sum of $35,800, after a deliberation of but four hours.

The jury in the former trial gave the defendant $30,000, but this was set aside by Judge Cunningham and a new trial ordered.

The case in all probability will be appealed. Attorneys Richie & Richie for the Electric company, and Attorneys Ridenour & Halfhill, for the plaintiff, were the attorneys in the case.

The circumstances surrounding the accident which led up to the suit are still familiar to many. Hicks, while in the employ of the Electric Light Co., and while at work on the top of a pole in the alley back of the court house, came in contact with a live wire. The shock rendered him insensible and set his clothing on fire. He was held in this position until another lineman cut the wires when he fell to the ground. Both arms were so badly burned that amputation was necessary above the elbows.

NORVAL TO BE SOLD

Together With All Horses On the Lima Stock Farm.

J. C. Linneman, one of the best known breeders of high class trotters in Ohio, has just returned from a winter spent on the California coast, and announces that on April 11th his fine breeding plant, known for a decade as the Lima Stock farm, will be closed out and he will retire from active participation in the development of light harness performers. At this sale, which will be an event in light harness world, Mr. Linneman will dispose of Norval (2.14¾,) one of the best getters of good performers in the list known in the state, together with 25 choice brood mares and a fine collection of a half hundred colts and fillies. The retirement of J. C. Linneman will be regreted by every horseman in the central west as he has been one of the squarest men on the turf known to the breeding and racing world. Mr. Linneman is still president and will remain as the head of the Lima Driving Park company, owners of one of the handsomest half-mile plants in Ohio, and whose two race meets, fall and spring, are always big events in the light harness world.

RELIGIOUS MAGAZINE DEFENDS ROCKEFELLER

Oberlin, April 4.—The Bibliotheca Sacra, published here, has this to say editorially regarding the $100 000 Rockefeller mission gift:

"The unmeasured denunciation of the railroads for making favorable terms for the transportation of the oil of the Standard Oil company is not based upon the ten commandments, but largely upon the opinions of experienced persons who are sitting in judgment upon business methods of which they have but a very imperfect knowledge.

"Study has convinced us that the head of the Standard Oil company is a most conspicuous target of misdirected and unjust public opinion."

WOMEN ON JURIES? PERISH THE THOUGHT!

New York April 4.—"Women are by nature unfit. They are not intended to govern and cannot be trusted to see straight. Therefore they are not filed to sit as jury members."

This summary of an address, made by John Oliver Hobbes (Mrs. Craigie) at a meeting of the Harwick society of London, printed last Friday, has been noted with interest by New York purists.

Whether the judicial mind would view woman's fitness to be a juror from the same angle as the woman novelist was a question which a newspaper undertook to settle. The result is the following symposium

Judge Bischoff said: "I have had no experience with women as jurors and cannot say that I want to make the experiment. Woman is very frank and loyal. Her loyalty on the side in which she is interested is stronger than her impartiality. I am afraid it would take an unlimited number of challenges before we could succeed in getting a jury of women."

Judge Cowing: "Women differ. Some women might make a jury that would know its own hand. The change might work well. Women are more sympathetic than men, as a rule. Of course the sympathetic ones have to be challenged. It would all depend on the woman."

Recorder Goff. "Just think how a judge woul feel facing a jury of 12 women."

DEATH OF MRS. ANNESSER.

Friends in this city of Mrs. Joseph Annesser, of Ottawa, will be grieved to learn of her death which resulted from an operation she underwent at Toledo this week. Mrs. Laura Kasor of McPherron avenue, went to Ottawa to attend the funeral.

ON THE SICK LIST.

Mr. William Wendler, of east North street, is quite sick.

JOHN SUTTON SICK.

John Sutton the popular bookkeeper at Gooding's Shoe Store, is confined to his home by sickness.

BROKEN GLASS.

While moving his floral establishment this morning into the Wheeler building at the rear of the Cincinnati block, James Cady smashed one of the front windows.

Ernest Stanton was assaulted on north Main street last night by Chas. Morris.

A party of Lima people attended the Sho-Gun at Findlay last night.

CARTER

Arrested By Walter P. Bloom,

FOR ASSAULT COMES BACK AT THE LUMBERMAN WITH A DAMAGE SUIT.

James Carter who was arrested at the instance of Walter P. Bloom, on the charge of assault, this morning filed an action for damages in the sum of $160, claiming this amount is due him for labor.

Carter claims that he was making an effort to collect the amount when the trouble occurred.

The mounders of the Delphos Foundry Company are on a strike.

The funeral of the late Lewis Boysell was held from the residence on south Pierce street this afternoon at two o'clock.

City Solicitor Bentley is in Wauseon today.

No change in the oil market today.

The residence of Isaiah Brentlinger in Shawnee township was totally destroyed by fire a few days ago, together with all its contents.

DIAMONDS

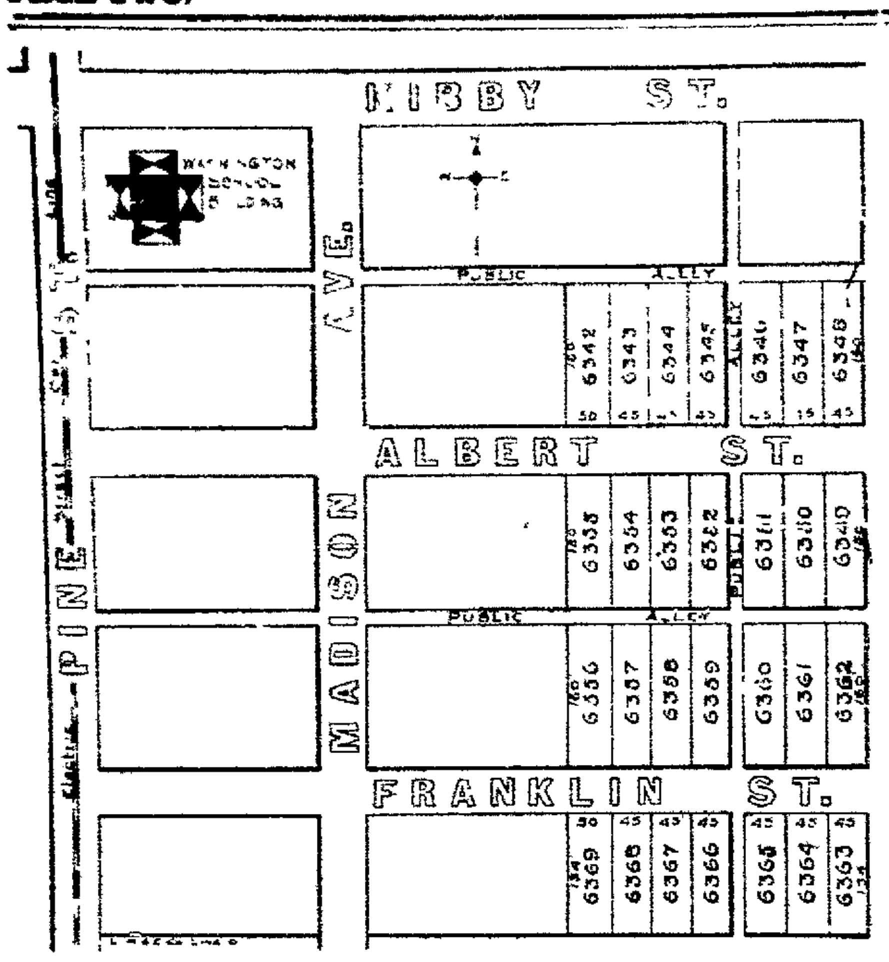
Worth $30,000 Sent in Two-Cent Letter Through the United States Mails.

Denver, Col., April 4.—When the postman called at the Pearl-street residence of Mrs. Genevieve Chandler Phipps today she handed him a small parcel address to a New York diamond importer. The postman took it to the postoffice, where a clerk noticed the string coming off, and in trying to replace it caught the gleam of diamonds. He carried it to his chief and the parcel was opened. It was found to contain a diamond brooch worth $30,000.

Mrs. Phipps was communicated with, but did not accept the advice to register it. The postoffice officials because of her non-chalance, thought it might be paste, so they summoned a jeweler, who made a spot-cash offer of $20,000 for it.

The brooch went East on the afternoon train. It had been sent to Mrs. Phipps for inspection by the New Yorker.

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PERSONALS

Miss Lichenstader left today for Atlantic City accompanied by her uncle Mr Julius Wolf, of Cincinnati

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Judge A M Heidelbaugh of Ottawa, was a caller in the city yesterday

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Mrs J R Turner, of Columbus Grove is the guest of her mother Mrs Mary Bogardus of south Union street

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Miss Grace Cook spent Sunday with her parents in Moulton

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Mrs Anna Folmer has returned from a visit in Delphos

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D H Tolan went over to Delphos on business yesterday.

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H F Bishop of east Vine street who has been in North Baltimore spent Sunday at home

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Sam Weinfeldt of west Spring street, went out on the road this morning after a visit over Sunday with his family

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Harry Miller spent Sunday in St Marys

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Wilbur Smith of St Marys was a business visitor here yesterday

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F X Hollar left yesterday for Washington D C

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E Given who has been in the East for the past month has returned home

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Carl Sanders and Charles Pepple of Wapakoneta spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs James Pepple, of south Central avenue

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Mr Milton Slocum left last evening for Massachusetts

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Mr and Mrs G. H Day, of north Elizabeth street, left this morning for Chanute, Kansas where they will visit their son, Mr. Mott Day and wife

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Russell Davidson and family were guests of relatives in St Marys Sunday

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Rev H E Stevens has returned to Van Wert after a short visit here

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C H Chappell leaves tomorrow for New York where he will organize an opera stock company

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Prof Zeller of Youngstown, left yesterday after a pleasant visit over Sunday with Lima friends

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Walton Smith, of St Marys, made a business trip here yesterday



At Parting.

HE

I l go away till win renown
And when my worth is known
And I am rich I will return
To claim you as my own

SHE

Ah yes 'tis best Go forth and get
Renown and wealth be strong
Be true and I'll be waiting—but
Please don t be very long

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WHEN APRIL FILLS WITH BUDS

All Nature is Awakening and There is a Stir Within and Without—Many Pretty Social Divertisements Were Last Week Enjoyed—The Garver-Golden Engagement is Announced—Other Social News

Automobile Party.

A very delightful automobile party was enjoyed by a congenial party of friends at the Country club, when they were the guests of Mr and Mrs J C Riley of west Market street Saturday night The tables were arranged at the club for their coming and bore a great center piece of American Beauties The place cards bore the names of Mr and Mrs Riley, Mr and Mrs F T Campbell, Mr and Mrs N D Keys, Mr and Mrs Harold Standish Miss Bonnie Morris Mrs Frank Griffen of Oregon Mr Stephen McMahon, Mr H C Campbell A delightful spin through the country brought a very pleasant evening to a close

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Wedding Announcement

The marriage of Miss Helen Garver and Mr Robert N Golden whose engagement was announced several weeks ago will occur some time in September Mr Golden formerly of Des Moines Iowa is now with the Northwestern Railroad in New York City where he and his bride will reside Miss Garver is the daughter of Mrs Charles Donze, and tho her stay here has been brief she has won many friends who will re- [illegible]

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Shakespearian Reading

On Friday afternoon the fourteenth of April the ladies of St Mary's Chapter of Christ Church will entertain their friends with a Shakespearian reading by Mrs J K Brice

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The Wimodaughsis

The Wimodaughsis club will meet with Mrs K H Dubrsole Thursday afternoon

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Marriage of Sam Jones' Daughter

Cartersville Ga April 1—Mrs Laura Jones Flourney daughter of the famous evangelist Sam P Jones was married here Thursday afternoon to Bernard C Sloan a civil engineer of Pittsburg Pa The bride's father performed the ceremony While the engagement of Mrs Flourney and Mr Sloan has been rumored for some time it is said that the marriage was hastened because of the recent marriage of the bride's first husband David Flourney of Paducah Ky who married Miss Blanche Bluckner the Louisville girl who has won success as a comic opera star and was leaving for grand opera when Mr Flourney won her Miss Jones and Flourney were married at Cartersville in December 1898 They lived together only a few months and now Flourney takes his third wife and Mr Flourney her second husband within a few weeks of each other

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Sewing Society

Mrs I N Sellers was at home to the Ladies Sewing society of the St Johns parish when the ladies who enjoyed this hospitality were Mesdames D L Cellis P H Schwartz M H Lynch G W Sheets A Simons J I Malloy M H Barrett W A Wagner Mildred Siebers J Mrs Fall A C Cokey W Cheviller P Keller I Beel S Koenig A [illegible] berger John Link T Custy N [illegible] Montigue I H F [illegible] A O Wagner John Deis Frank Chow P [illegible] Julia Kel George McCann W A Altenburgh B Hilbard H Kuner Miss Mollie Downey and Mrs C Funderbach of Dayton

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Will Entertain Club

Mr and Mrs O [illegible] Scott will entertain the Auld Lang Syne Club this evening at their home [illegible] Jameson avenue

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Frohe Stunden

The Frohe Stunden met Saturday with Mrs Anna Zimmerman [illegible] east North street guests were

Mrs P F Hill Mrs Fred Bauer Mrs J R Sinclair Mrs George Bauer Mrs O Day Mrs I W Moner and Mrs Askew The club prizes were won by Mrs Wemmer and Mrs Bauer and the guest prize by Mrs Askew [illegible] spoons Mrs Bassler consoled [illegible] a pretty dish

For Spring Wear

Gingham the old standby is with us again but so improved in weave that our old friend is hardly recognized in the dainty silk like textures brought forward as ginghams True the designs are unvaried from year to year yet it is difficult to believe that the array of fine mercerized and silk and cotton mixtures we see on hand can be even an aristocratic cousin to the humble apron gingham though of the same design

A lovely [illegible] school frock for a girl of ten is seen in a small blue and white checked mercerized gingham made with a box plaited skirt stitched to hip in yoke depth the stitching ending there [illegible] points and finished on the bottom with a hem The waist was also laid in box plaits stitched as on skirt two in the front being carried down to the belt outlining a very narrow vest of dark [illegible] linen crossed with shallow V s of the goods and held down by small [illegible] buttons The sleeves were full plaited into cuffs of strapping All the stitching was in red mercerized cotton and worn with a deep white linen of hop collar and a black silk tie the effect would be extremely smart The model too is practical and can be easily laundered

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Were Honored

Mr and Mrs Ira P Cannes were honored with a dinner party given by the Misses Bidean at their home [illegible] west street one evening recently Mr and Mrs Cannes will leave soon for a trip through California and Oregon

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Congregational Circle

The Congregational Circle [illegible] meeting at Mrs Wm Powers [illegible] south Elizabeth street

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New Club

A new Club has been organized [illegible] known as the [illegible] The Elite The members are Mable Kaufman [illegible] Murray [illegible] Rosbach [illegible] Mill [illegible] Pearl [illegible] Mary [illegible] Lusk Mabel Slyghs

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At Mrs. Rechs

At the home of Mr Frank Rech in Point Block entertained the ladies of the Aid Society of the Wayne St [illegible] Church of Christ with a [illegible] several [illegible] work

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A Clever Surprise

The [illegible] their session last evening and just [illegible] the close of the work for the evening they were given a clever surprise by the coming of about twenty-five members of the Pocahontas Lodge of Delphos Merriment reigned [illegible] supreme for some time and a hearty welcome was extended to the visitors [illegible] was one of the most enjoyable who were given a several course supper members have had for some time [illegible] during the hour so spent here



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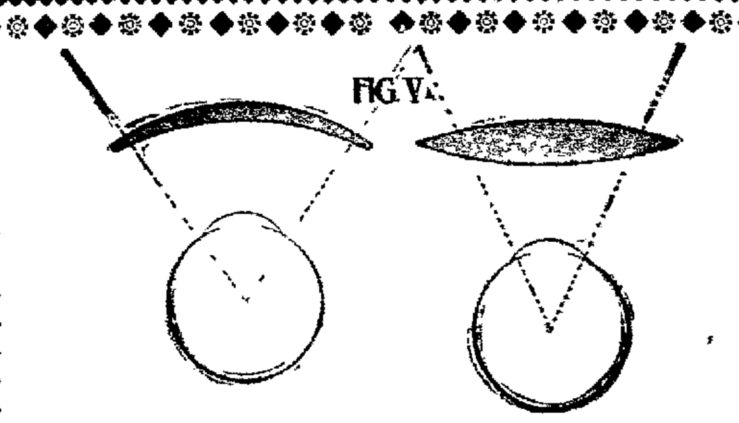
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PERSONALS

Mm. Stont, of Birmingham, Alabama, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Nolf, of south Elizabeth St.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McCleary, of south Elizabeth street, have as their guest, Mrs. Cora McCleary, of Forest.

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Mr. E. W. Jackson has returned from a short trip to Cincinnati.

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James H. Leslie, of the Indiana Oil Field is in the city on business.

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F. D. Closser, who has been in Kansas since the first of the year, is home for several days.

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Clarence Edwards spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Edwards, in Delphos.

Mrs. Mary Lefell, of Kossuth, has been the guest of her son, Phillip, of south Main street.

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Miss Clara Povenmire, Miss Edith Crosson, Miss Helen Badeau, Mr. John Snarritts, Mr. Mart Vanstroner, and Mr. C. E. Eckles, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kerr, of West Minster.

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Ray Robbins spent Sunday in Rockford, the guest of relatives.

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OIL MARKET.

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Corning	1.03
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Cabell County	1.11
North Lima	91
South Lima	86
Indiana	86
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Second Sand	1 26

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INDIANA

Has Taken the Lead

More New Wells and Production in

March Than in February--Deep Sand Region Likely Seen Its Best.

WOOD COUNTY LEADS IN OHIO OPERATIONS— FIGURES GIVEN IN DETAIL.

The oil fields for the month of March exhibited but little life until near the close when the favorable weather seemd to have an inspiring influence upon the operators who had been busy looking after their old pumping wells for the past few months. In the east there was a decline in the number of rigs and of drilling wells and a corresponding increase in the completed list which made the out-come a stand-off on the report for the previous month.

In Ohio there was a decrease of 13 in the number of wells completed and an increase of dry holes There was also a decrease in the new production of 197 barrels. 59 wells were abandoned, which was more than 50 per cent of the number completed But in rigs and drilling wells there was an aggregate increase of 39—3 rigs and 28 drilling wells. There was a total of rigs of 70 and of drillings wells 138. The increase is not so interesting when the length of the month is considered. The average compares favorably with that of January and February.

In Indiana 150 wells were completed, which was an increase of 17 over the February showing. There was also an increase of 635 barrels new production. The abandoned wells were not so numerous, there being only 23 for the month.

At the close of the month there were 82 rigs, an increase over February wells which was a decrease of 21. This makes a net decrease of 17 in new work

Deep Sand Declining.

It is evident that the deep sand pool has played its part in producing drama. That is it has reached its acme and is now on its decline. But there are large areas still that are to be tested and, judging from the nature of the past, it it safe to sugest that all the good spots may not have been unearthed yet. We hear of new companies forming almost daily to furnish other tests outside of the lines that are supposed to circumscribe the spot. Cincinnati and Muncie capitalists have within a week formed an association for the purpose of giving a block of leases of about 700 acres in Liberty township, Delaware county, a test well or two A company of West Virginia operators have a new well on a tract of of 5,000 acres that promises to make a good paying well. It is not of the gusher type, however

Otherwise the Indiana field presents no symptoms that would lead to the conclusion that there was great danger of a large increase in the daily output. The usual grind of wells from one end of the region to the other indicates a serious lack of good promising territory to drill. It is a characteristic of Indiana wells, especially outside of the deep sand section, to drop off rapidly after the first day's yield. This of course is owing to the thickness of the pay rock which was never to be compared with that found in the heart of the best portions of the Ohio fields, especially in Wood county.

It will be seen however, that Ohio takes second place in new operations. Last month it had only 94 new wells, against 150 for Indiana. Hereafter, therefore, the latter must stand as the leader in opinion and passing judgment. What Indiana says in the future goes as far as the Trenton rock developments are concerned.

Review of Ohio Fields.

Wood county, Ohio, continues to hold first place in the state in magnitude of active hostilities. There was a total of 81 in new operations against 28 in Hancock and a like number for Sandusky county. Lucas is credited with one rig and half a dozen drilling wells. J. H. Clauss has the pole at the present time in that county. He has a couple of strings of tools in action and will keep them busy until he has exhausted the producing energy of a couple of farms that have been looking for him for a few years past. These are the Tobias and the Garvey, where some of the most promising stuff in the field has lain without wells for several years except two small ones in the south side of the Tobias.

Operators in Sandusky seem to enjoy their expenditures. They say that the wells hold up better than elsewhere in the Trenton rock regions and that the oil is superior to any other specimen found in that formation It is the same price, however, But there seems to be something pleasing in the thought that the oil one produces is the best in the market.

Independent Refineries.

The most interesting feature in the Hancock county field at this writing is the increasing energy displayed by the independent refinery at Findlay. It is reported that the new aggregation is spreading its lines out over the county in all directions and that it will shortly transpose 1,500 or 2,000 barrels a day Operations in the field are very dull Only seven wells were completed in March and the aggregated yield of the seven was only 45 barrels.

In Wyandot also the refinery question is to the front again. Last fall it was noted that the Wyandot Producing and Refining company had secured ground near Crawford station, southeast of Carey a few miles for the purpose of building thereon an oil refinery. But until last week no further efforts had been made than the placing in of a switch by the Hocking Valley railroad for the use of the new company. It said that material for the works has actually arrived and that the work of construction will begin at once. It is to be a small affair capable of manufacturing at the beginning about 350 barrels a day. The company owns a good daily yield of its own but will have to depend upon outsiders for a portion of its supply With that end in view it is said that 5 cents a barrel in addition to the Standard price will be paid.

At the close of the month there were five rigs up in the field and nine wells drilling. The only change of any significance in the producing well for the period was the result on the Brown farm where Allen and associates secured a well that is reported good for 40 barrels at the age of several weeks. The same parties have completed another well that is on the list as a twenty barrel producer.

No Trading Done.

In the trading line there was very little activity during the month of March. The decline that occurred in the market following the fight of the Standard in Kansas was a settler Many may have been led to believe oil in the east should advance and that it should decline in the west. It did so, but not to the extent that it did in Pennsylvania. It seems that those who are responsible for the depreciation should be made to suffer instead of those who are not. When the Wood county, Ohio, field was at its height the oil brought 15 cents only. That was because there was too much of it and it could not be marketed in any other way than by selling to the Standard for storage. The same is true of the western push now except in the matter of price. They say that they can produce oil in Indian Territory for 15 cents a barrel and make a profit. They should be made to try it or stop the drill.

Profitable Field in Illinois.

There is no doubt now about there being a profitable field in Casey, Ill. Casey is situated about 40 miles west of Terre Haute and on the western coast of Clark county. Thirty-five wells have been completed there and as far as known, there are no dry holes. It is a shallow sand pool being less than 400 feet deep. The sand is of excellent quality and the wells are good for from 5 barrels up to 25 barrels a day. As yet there is no method of transportation though it is said the Standard Oil company is there making preparations for removing the "goods" by tank line first and then later on by pipe line There is perhaps, a daily output at the present time of nearly 200 barrels were the wells all in action. The oil formation is supposed to be one of the upper limn rocks found here and in Canada.

Review of March Operations.

Following are the figures for March as gathered by the Derrick forces, as compared with those of January and February:

Wells Completed in January, 1905.

Field	Com.	Prod.	Dry.
Pennsylvania	478	4,280	146
Buckeye	180	1,789	14
Indiana	195	4,736	15
Total	853	10,895	175

Wells Completed February, 1905.

Field	Com.	Prod.	Dry.
Pennsylvania	383	3,014	137
Buckeye	107	950	6
Indiana	133	2,111	16
Totals	623	6,075	159

Wells Completed March, 1905.

Field	Com.	Prod.	Dry.
Pennsylvania	480	3,973	183
Buckeye	94	753	8
Indiana	150	2,746	13
Totals	724	7,472	204

Ohio.
Completed Wells.

County.	Comp.	Prod.	Dry	Abd
Wood	22	150	1	26
Hancock	7	45	1	17
Allen	14	185	1	9
Auglaize	4	37	0	0
Sandusky	19	117	1	1
Mercer	8	52	2	3
Ven Wert	8	75	0	0
Seneca	4	25	1	0
Lucas	3	45	0	3
Wyandot	4	20	1	0
Ottawa	1	2	0	1
Total	94	753	8	60

Decrease completed wells, 13.
Decrease new production, 197.
Increase dry holes, 2.
Abandoned wells, 59.

New Work.

County	Rigs.	Drg.	Total
Wood	21	60	81
Hancock	14	14	28
Allen	5	12	17
Auglaize	3	3	6
Sandusky	12	16	28
Mercer	4	7	11
Ven Wert	2	3	5
Seneca	1	5	6
Lucas	1	6	7
Wyandot	5	9	14
Ottawa	2	3	5
Totals	70	138	208

Increase rigs, 8.
Increaseing wells drilling, 28.
Net increase, 36.

Indiana.
Completed Wells.

County	Comp.	Prod.	Dry	Abd.
Wells	6	34	0	7
Blackford	3	15	1	1
Jay	10	115	2	0
Adams	4	62	9	0
Grant	31	385	0	9
Huntington	11	165	0	6
Madison	2	20	1	0
Delaware	77	1920	7	0
Randolph	4	20	1	0
Miscellaneous	2	10	1	0
Totals	150	1746	13	23

Increase completed wells, 17.
Increase new production, 635.
Decrease dry holes, 3.
Abandoned wells, 23.

New Work.

County	Rigs.	Drg.	Total
Wells	3	9	12
Blackford	2	4	6
Jay	5	8	13
Adams	3	4	7
Grant	17	41	58
Huntington	17	10	27
Madison	1	7	8
Delaware	26	59	85
Randolph	4	5	9
Miscelaneous	4	4	8
Totals	82	151	233

Increase rigs, 14.
Decrease wells drilling, 81.
Net increase, 17.

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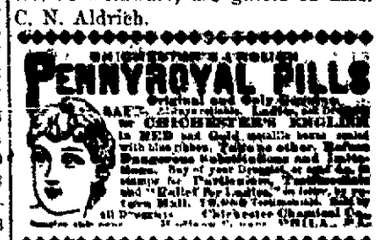
AMUSEMENTS

Undoubtedly the best high-class presentation of the season will be tonight at the Faurot Opera House when "The Rivals" will be presented, with Joseph Jefferson, Jr., and William W. Jefferson and their "all star" cast.

Joseph Jefferson took up Sheridan's "Rivals" in 1876 and altered and condensed it to meet the requirements of the modern theatre-goers who, as he explains, had become adverse to abundant dialogue unless it reveals plot and who demand entertainment for the eye rather than for the ear. The production met with success and in 1876 was invited to produce it with the other great plays at the big Dramatic Festival in Cincinnati. Mr. Jefferson has been playing Bob Acres over twenty-five years. That he always liked the character and that his heart and soul were in the production of it is evident from the following extract from his Autobiography.

"This comedy kept running in my head of late years with almost the persistance that "Rip Van Winkle" had done in the olden time. Bob, too, was an attractive fellow to contemplate. Sheridan had filled with such a quaintness and eccentricity that he became to me irrestible. would often think of him in the middle of the night. At odd times, when there was apparently no reason for him to call, he would pop up before me like an old acquaintance, for I had acted him years before, but always with new expression on his face. The variety of situations in which the author has placed him; his rival in town with his shallow head full of nonsense and curl papers, and his warm heart overflowing with love for an heiress, who could not endure him in the country because he used to dress so badly; a nature soft and vain, with a strong mixture of goose and peacock; his aping of the fashion of the town, with an unmistakable survival of rural manners; his swagger and braggadocio while writing a challenge; and above all the abject fright that falls upon him when he realizes what he has done—could the exacting heart of a comedian ask for more than these? Surely here was the best material to work out that I could desire. I had acted the part a quarter of a century before, and possibly I may have blundered by a kind of intuition into some of the effects which now occur to me, but I am quite sure that at that time I could not have reproduced them from night to night with any certainty. I will not say that methods which treated the various phases of the character were all thought out previous to its revival. Some of them came to me after, and many at the time of their presentation; for during the late run of the comedy I had acted "Acres" at least a dozen times before I had hit upon a satisfactory effect with which to end the second act, and even then it did not strike me until the very moment of its execution."

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BRIEF

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Married but four weeks, Elmer W. Morris, yesterday afternoon filed a suit for divorce from his wife, Lucy Morris, naming George Crue as co-respondent. According to the allegations they were married August 14, 1903, and the following month his wife deserted him, leaving Lima with her paramour, George Crue. Since that time the couple have not lived together.

Deeds Filed.

R. D. McDonald and wife to Wyley Bladgett, lot 103 in German township, $50.

G. W. Franklin and wife to J. M. Hoffeman, part of lot 3702 in the city of Lima, $2200.

E. L. Shockey, guardian of Sarah Grant, to Charles Heffner, 20 acres of land in Auglaize township, $1050.

J. W. Holmes to Lewis R. Hildreth lot 3 in Lima, $850.

Charles M. Miller and wife to A. D. Miller, quit claim for 25 acres in Amanda township, $3000.

George W. Miller and wife to Levi Crites, 20 acres in Allen county, $800.

William Shappell and wife to Geo. Miller, 27½ acres of land in Allen county, $1950.

NOTICE.

The Nazarene Chorus will meet for rehearsal, Friday evening, April 7th, it is expected a full attendance of all parts. There will be no rehearsal on Wednesday evening.

P. H. C. NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the protected Home Circle at their lodge rooms in the Donze Hall this evening, every member is requested to be present. A. D. Welkes, Sec.

LIQUOR AND GAMBLING

Ordinances Were Adopted Last Night—Saloons to Close at Ten O'clock and 11 O'clock On Saturday Nights.

The saloon closing ordinance came up for its final reading at the regular meeting of the city council last night and representatives from the Pastor's Union and a committee form the W. C. T. U. were present to urge the passage of the ordinance as originally drawn—the original paper calling for the closing of saloons at ten o'clock each day of the week excepting Saturday and at 11 o'clock p. m. on Saturday. An effort was made to have the hours extended to eleven and twelve o'clock, but failed and the ordinance as originally drawn was passed.

Another ordinance which has been hanging fire a long time, the ordinance prohibiting gambling and providing for the destruction of gambling paraphernalia, was also put on its passage and in due time will become a law.

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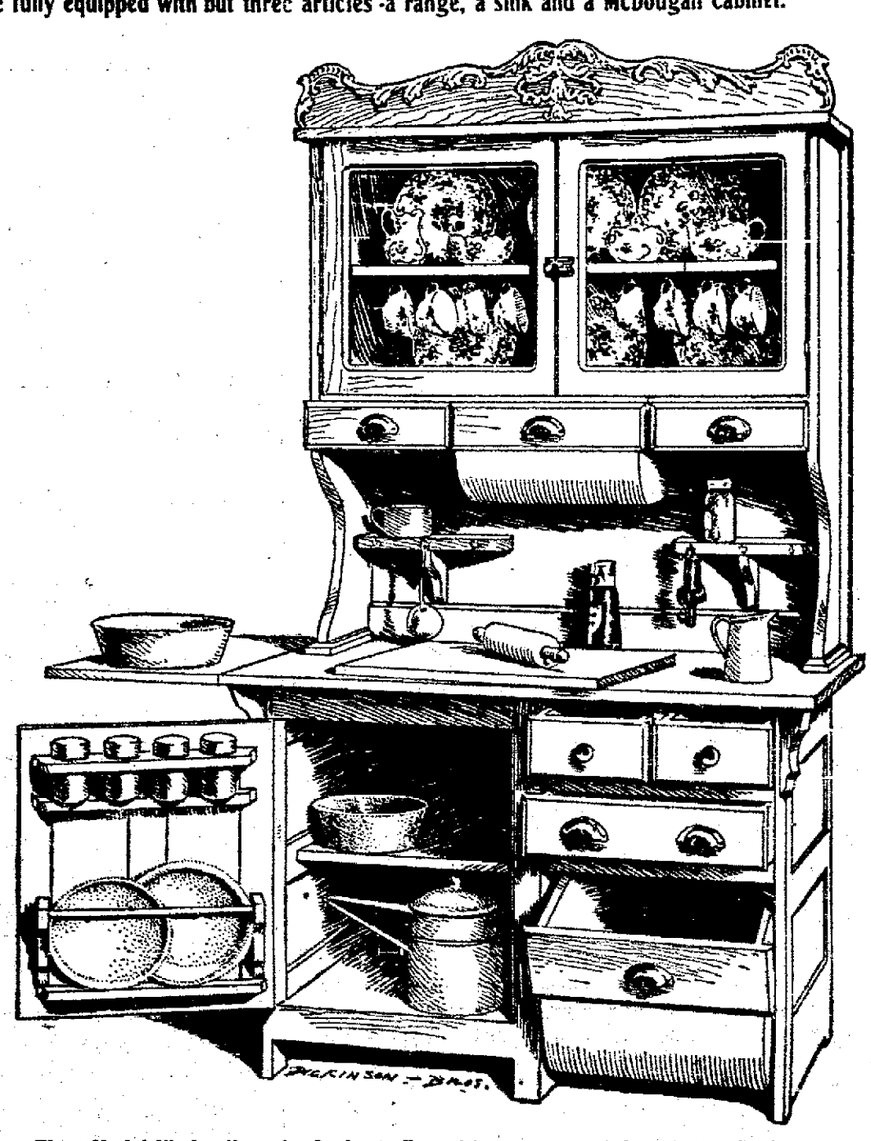
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The McDougall Idea has worked out the best system yet known for lessening the work of cooking. A staff of capable architects and Domestic Science experts is constantly studying and improving on it. Their services are put at your disposal, free of charge.

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The "Model Kitchen" at the St. Louis Exposition was an exhibit of the Mcdougall Idea. It was a most remarkable example of compactness and completeness, which would have been impossible without the use of the

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Even if you do not intend to buy now, come in this week and see our splendid special exhibit of McDougall Kitchen Cabinets, as advertised in all the leading magazines. You will not only be interested, but will carry away with you many helpful ideas for there-arrangement of your kitchen. Come and get the new book on "Kitchen Economy" by Mrs. S. T. Rorer, which is given free to each visitor.

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213 and 215 N. Main Street.

FLOETER

Former Superintedent of C. H. & D.

HAS NOT YET LOCATED—AT THE HEAD OF A SYSTEM OF ELECTRIC LINES

The following is taken from the Toledo Blade and will be of interest to the many friends of S. B. Floeter of this city:

"S. B. Floeter, formerly superintendent of the northern division of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton, was in the city today. Mr. Floeter informed the Blade that the story sent out from Lima to the effect that he had been appointed general manager of the system of electric lines at Chatham, Ont., was incorrect. Mr. Floeter is sending his family to Lemington, Ont., where they will remain for the time being. He has been summoned to New York, and the visit there may result in his acceptance of one or another of the several good positions that have been offered him."

NOTICE! HOUSE CLEANING TIME

Get your carpets cleaned by the Lima Carpet Cleaning and Renovating works. Prices are right, work first class. Give us a call.

We call for and deliver carpets free. Phones, Old 170; New 889.

80-tf Maurer Bros.

THE DEISEL-WEMMER CO. WANT 100 GIRLS TO LEARN THE CIGAR MAKING TRADE. WILL BE WELL PAID WHILE LEARNING. APPLY AT FACTORY BUILDING, COR. NORTH MAIN ST. AND PENN. R. R.

It's the naphtha in EASY TASK soap that makes it an easy task to wash woolens, blankets, etc. Little rubbing is required; no boiling; no steaming hot suds with the disagreeable odors that arise when yellow soap is used. EASY TASK is a hard, slow-wasting white soap which lathers freely in either hot or cold water. It is the best for all laundry and kitchen uses. 5c at all grocers'.

NOTICE.

The Woman's Relief Corps will meet in regular sesion Tuesday evening, April 4th, let there be a full attendance.

By order of President.

BUSINESS CHANGE.

J. A. Harley and D. L. Goodyear have purchased the Lima Turek Line and will continue the business under the same name.

Office over Tigner's Cigar Store.

CHEAP ONE WAY COLONIST RATES TO

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IN THE WEST & NORTHWEST VIA THE LAKE ERIE & WESTERN RAILROAD.

Tickets to go on sale March 1st, 1905 and continuing daily until May 15th, 1905.

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DAINTY FROCKS FOR CHILDREN.

A special priced lot of embroidery trimmed dresses. Sizes, 1 to 3 years; a genuine money-saver, 50c each.

Another generous assortment of Children's Buster Browns in all the prevailing fabrics, sizes 1 to 5 years, price $1 to $2.50.

DRY BLUEM GOODS

We would be pleased to have every woman in Lima and surrounding towns give this store a visit. The styles of this season are so elaborate, so varied and so extensive that the new things seen and the many new ideas you could gather would well repay. Accept this as a personal invitation and be our guest

DRY BLUEM GOODS

LADIES' SHOPPING BAGS with all the different fittings. A very complete line in new designs, new shades and leather grains, including gilt, silver, leather covered and gun-metal finished frames.

We also have the new and popular Wrist Bag with the flat-iron handle. Price 98c to $6.00.



Children's Serviceable Wash Dresses.

We have an excellent lot of very handsome wash dresses, every style shown being copied from the very latest designs of this season's creations.

The fabrics used are the prevailing suitable ones and the prices are marvels to mothers who have been making these garments. If you attach any value to your time, there is no use of making your children's wash dresses, when you can buy the same, better made, in the latest styles at a lower price.

We mention a few:

Child's Wash Dresses

made of excellent, good quality percale, yoke of fancy pique, with two box plaits, ruffled front and back, trimmed in colored lace and insertion. We have them in colors, blue, pink and red; sizes 2 to 14 years. A handsome value at this price, 50c each.

Child's Suspender Wash Dress

Made of good quality gingham, white blouse with three tucks on front, waist and skirt connected with suspenders, skirt can be worn separately, finished with pearl buttons. A very serviceable garments, sizes 4 to 14 years, $1.15 each.

Girls' Wash Dress.

Made of fine quality gingham, yoke of pique, trimmed with feather-stitched brocade, cape finished to match yoke, full skirt with loose belt. Sizes, 4 to 14 years—a very dressy suit, $1.50.

Exclusive Styles In Misses' Suits.

It would be a difficult matter indeed to select an assortment of suits that would appeal more to our young lady friends than we believe these will do. The fabrics are the most popular and suitable ones of the day and the price low for the value given. We never showed a more extensive line than we are showing this season, including the styles that are most interesting to any one who contemplates buying a suit this season.

Misses' Cadet Suit in mohair, colors, blue and brown, deep plaited skirt, device on sleeve, surplus front, waist buttons down side. Price $11.50.

Also checked mohair suits in similar design. Prices run up to $22.50. Serge Suits in blues and browns from $13.50 to $22.50.

Misses' Coffee Coat Suits of brown checked panama, jackets in wide plaits, collarless, trimmed with wide silk braid, full sleeves with deep cuffs, vest effect with shoulder straps.

Price $30.00.

Misses' Suit Blouse of black and white checked panama, vest effect with deep silk girdle, full sleeve with cuff, jacket full taffeta lined, skirt kilted. Price $30.00.

Misses' Suit—fancy brown checked, tight-fitting jacket, collarless, eleven gore skirt, with all seams diagonal strapped.

Price $27.50.



Ladies' Walking Length Skirts.

Ladies' Sicilian Cloth Skirts in colors, blue, black and brown, gores with lapped seams, bottom of skirt laid in deep plaits. Price $7.50.

Ladies' Panama Skirt, 49 gore, colors, blue, brown and black. Price $6.50.

We also have a large assortment of Ladies' Panama Skirts, in the popular sunburst design. Prices run up to $15.00.

A large collection of fancy and plain colored skirts in plain checks—broadcloth, mohairs, panamas and silks. large line of Ladies' Suits in popular modes and newest effects.

Infants' Furnishing Goods.

Everything that's pretty, dainty and neat for babies' wear will be found in this division. We give strict attention to infants' goods and keep in touch with all the newest, cute and clever fashions. Our experince in his line has taught us to pick quality and workmanship with a keen eye.

Boys' and Girls' Buster Brown Dresses, sizes 1 to 5 years, a very popular suit for the little fellow, $1.00 to $5.00.

Fancy Children' Dresses, lace and embroidery trimmed—a very beautiful assortment, sizes 6 months to 5 years. Price $1.00 to $5.00.

Ladies' New Waist Models.

Ladies' White Waists, good quality, 4 yards wide, graduated plaits on back, 10 plaits down front, full sleeve with cuff...A strong tailored and pleasing effect. Price $1.00.

Ladies' White Waists, made of good quality Madras, in large figure, wide plaits in front plain back, full sleeve, high collar with tie. Excellent for the price, $2.90.

Ladies' White Waists, fine quality lawn, fine embroidery front, back of narrow plaits and fine tucks, collar hem-stitched with narrow tie. An excellent value, $3.00.

New White Goods and Linens.

A generous line of Swisses in dots and figures, pretty assortment of patterns, prices 15c, 22c, 25c, 30c, and up to 60c per yard.

Plain sheer goods in Batiste, 25c per yard, 40 inches wide, 30c per yard, 48 inch widths at 40c, 50c and 75c per yard.

Persian Lawns, light, sheer and silky cloth, 32 inches wide, 18c. 25c, 30c and 50c per yard.. We have an extra good selection of these fabrics.



Tapering Waists, R. & G. Corsets.

These new models give that stylish definition to the waist and the "Tapering Shapeliness" which the spring fashion imperatively demands. We carry a full line of styles and sizes in high and low busts and have such a variety assortment of styles and prices that we can furnish you with just the article you desire. Tapering Waists, R. & G. Corsets, $1.00 to $3.00.

The celebrated Redfern Style Q for stout figures with front and side supporters—boned with genuine Greenland whale bone. Price $4.50.

Correct Hose for Women.

We offer this season a very complete line of up-to-date novelties in stockings, including new importations of the very latest effects, contrasting colors, lisle gossimer fabrics, lace ankle and lace all over designs. We also make a special feature in children's hose.

A special value in child's black cotton hose. Double knee and toe, strong and serviceable, sizes 6 1-2 to 8 1-2, 10c each. Sizes 9 and 9 1-2, 12 1-2c per pair.

Children's one and one black cotton-ribbed hose, sizes 6 to 10, price 15c per pair.

Boy's Buster Brown, Black Cat, an axtra good heavy school hose, sizes 6 to 11—25c per pair.

A Special In Ladies' Storm Coats.

We have a few gray checked and plain tan colored ladies' rain coats, a genuine $12.50 coat, which we will close out, while they last, at $10.00 each.

Other Ladies' Storm Coats in medium weight cloth, wide, self facing and self yoke. Sheered in back at waist. Seams are lapped and double stitched. Coat collar, fly front, full sleeve, with cuff, price $15.00.

Ladies' Storm Coat, imported cravenette, with blouse front, collarless, plaited sleeves, wide girdle, extra full skirt, $22.50.

At $22.50 we show a strong line of varied colors and designs.



Fancy Silk Dress Goods.

A nice assortment of new foulard silks, excellent value, 22 inches in width, 43c per yard. Also new line of foulard silks in 24 inch widths—including a large variety, 58c per yard.

A complete line of fancy silks, 24 inch width, 75c per yard.

Fancy Dress Goods for Spring.

A special bargain—a fancy suiting, 45 inches in width, always sold for 75c per yard, and a good value at that, in colors, blue, brown and black, is offered to you at a special price, 50c per yard.

Many panamas in new and fancy figures, colors, blue, brown and black; another money-saving bargain. Regular price $1.00 per yard, special price, 75c per yard.

Popular Mohairs for exclusive shirt waist patterns, every design and color. An excellent value, $1.00 per yard.

New Henriettas in all colors will prove to be a very popular cloth this season, 45 inches wide, 75c to $1.00 per yard.



Ladies' Gloves and Handkerchiefs.

Maggioni Kid Gloves—a large assortment in colors, grey, green, black, white pearl and mode—$1.00 to $1.50 per pair.

The Swede Gloves—a celebrated serviceable make, in colors—black, tan, brown, mode and grey, $1.00 to $1.50.

Ladies' Washable Kid Gloves in color—Cream, brown, tan, pearl and modes, $1.75 per pair. Ladies' dainty plain and embroidered handkerchiefs, hemmed and scalloped edges, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c.

New Spring Jackets.

Ladies' Covert Coats, fly front, plain skirt, strapped seams, 22 inch garment, lined with good quality Italian cloth, $6.00. At this price we show five styles of superior covert cloth jackets.

Ladies' Covert Cloth Jackets, full satin lined, inlaid silk collar, trimmed with silk braid, leg-o-mutton sleeve with cuff, fly front, silk-laced. Price $7.50.

Ladies' Covert Cloth Jackets, full satin lined, self-faced collar, seams strapped back and full front, sleeve. Price $12.50.

New Spring Veilings.

Our assortment of new Veils and Veilings now being shown include many checked ideas. All the correct things are here:

New Mesh Veilings, in all the latest creations.

Novelty Mesh Veilings in all the newest color combinations and designs.

The new Pompadour Veilings, 1½ yards long—in all the new spring styles also the new Chiffon Veils. Full line of spring shades.

Popular sun shade in blue, brown, red, green, grey and black with plain and fancy meshes.

Washable Fabrics for Spring.

A strong line of Irish Dimities, 30 inches wide, in many pretty floral designs and colors, 25c per yard.

Voile Suitings in most any color foundation—excellent value at the price, 10 to 12½ per yard.

A big line of Satin Striped Batiste, quality is not sacreficed for fanciful effect. You will find this a searviceable cloth to buy, 15c a yard.

Dainty Laces and Embroidery.

A large line of linen bands for shirt waists, new and beautiful patterns, 30c to $1.00.

Linen Bands for shirt waists, 30c to 75c.

Allover embroidery for shirt waists—some excellent designs and values, 75c to $2.00 per yard.

A fine line of Orientals—white or cream 18c to $1.00 per yard.

French Valenciennes—any design, from 5c to 25c per yard.

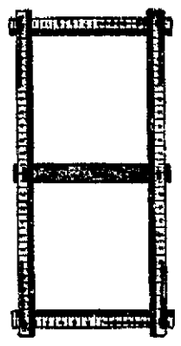
A varied assortment of Mechlin Laces, price 12 1-2c to 25c per yard.

Ladies' Knit Underwear.

We have a complete line of these goods, especially in Ladies' Union Suits, as this style of garment is becoming more popular every season.

Ladies' light weight, high neck and long sleeve white vest—exceedingly low priced for the value, 25c each.

Ladies light weight Union Suit, high neck and long sleeves, ankle and kneelengths. Excellent value 30c each.



Latest Creations In Curtains and Draperies

Our stock of curtains drapery was never more complete. We have all the latest in styles, laces and extra values. You can depend upon us in suiting your taste. We mention some of the many different styles and grades in stock.

Imported Arabians, many new designs, $4.50 to $20.00.

White Battenburgs, trimmed with fancy insertion. $5 to $12.50 per pair.

A nice collection of St. Gall Brussels Lace Curtains—many new creations. $5.00 to $8.00 per pair.

Curtain Stretchers as shown in cut—with adjustable pins, $1.48 each.

We have selected an especially fine lot of Irish Point Curtains and will offer the assortment at ¼ off regular price, $4.50, $5.00 and $6.00 per pair. These are genuine bargains.

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ITEMS

Of Interest Given an Airing

At Last Night's Meeting of the Council

WANT THE DELIVERY OF ICE ON SUNDAY PROHIBITED—DAMAGE AGAINST THE CITY—EFALTH BOARD WANTS $5000.

EXPRESSMEN ASK FOR A LICENSE FEE.

A prayer signed by the majority of the ice dealers of the city was received, asked that an ordinance prohibiting the delivery of ice on Sunday be adopted. The matter was referred to the judiciary committee.

Some time since the delegation of country people, through a spokesman asked for a relief from a bad situation on Bellefontaine avenue, adjacent to andat the Detroit Southern crossing, where the street is so narrow, between the street railway tracks, and the curb that rigs cannot pass each other, and where they claim they are frequently penned up by street cars and D. S. trains. The street committee can find no relief except in that the street car company be asked to have its motormen use particular caution at this point, run slow and look out for fractious horses.

Mr. Leonard Folk filed a claim for personaly damages amounting to $150 for injuries received by falling through being tripped by a rotten board in a sidewalk on west Third street. The accident occurred on February 27, and resulted in injuries to his right ankle of such a severe nature that he has not since been able to work, and is compelled to hobble about with a cane or crutch. The claim was referred to the finance committee and the City Solicitor.

Expressmen Petition.

A petition was received from the expressmen of the city, asking that a license fee of from $10 to $25 each be levied by the city government, two horse rigs to pay one-third more than the figures set for single rigs. As the judiciary committee had already recommended this in its report, the petition was simply received.

The ordinances regulating andproviding forthe licensing of junk dealers, referred to the judiciary committee at the last preceding meeting of the council, was, on recommendation of that committee, called up under a suspension of the rules and passed.

A committee of south Pine street property holders was present to see what action should be taken on the matter of the repeal of the ordinance calling for the improvement of that street. After the council had advertised the improvement and incurred some expense, these people decided they did not want the improvement, and petitioned for the abandonment of the project. Council held that if it were abandoned they must recompense the city for the preliminary expense incurred. This they agree to do, and it is up to the city auditor to colleted the pro rata expense from the property holders who petitioned for the improvement, and then backed up. The repealing ordinance was passed last night.

On query by Mr. Fletcher as to why the Board of Public Service had not signed up the curb light contracts adopted by the council some weeks ago, Mr. Thomas of the B. of P. S., stated that his board had not to date, seen any such contracts, which put it up to the City Solicitor. These will be drawn at once and submitted to the Board.

Mayor Robb sent in a communication calling the attention of the council to the fact that the Board of Health is in need of more money, and suggested that another $5,000 be placed at the disposal of that body. On motion of Mr. Chappell the Mayor and the Auditor were instructed and empowered to borrow the sum needed.

An ordinance was read providing for the improvement by grading of Charles street from Wayne to North street.

The owner of lot 20, Stockton's addition to the city, petitioned for relief from an excessive assessment for paving of west Kibby street, and the matter was referred to the finance committee and City Solicitor.

A resolution providing for remittitures on certain lots on Cole and Lakewood was adopted. This matter was dwelt upon in a previous issue. The common pleas court holds that the assessments were excessive and illegally levied, and this action was only in conformity to the holding of the court.

An ordinance was adopted which provides for the issuance of bonds in the sum of $2,000 to meet the cost of improving Elm street from McDonel to Collett street.

An ordinance authorizing the Mayor and Auditor to borrow $2,000 in anticipation of the August distribution, was adopted. This sum is required to make up the amount that will be due as the city's portion of the west Elm street improvement.

HOW TO LIVE ONE HUNDRED YEARS

Chicago, April 4—By following these precepts, which Dr J. B. S. King submitted to the National Health club, you may live to be 100 years old:

For a sudden strong effort or severe trial eat meat.

For a long continued effort for endurance eat cereals.

After exhausing physical labor yolks of eggs.

After exhausing phsical labor infused tea.

For a pure brain stimulant drink coffee.

For paleness eat lean meat and spinach.

To make gray brain matter eat eggs beans and oats.

For sound sleep eat onions and garlic.

"The first 33 years of man's life is for growth," he declared "The breastbone which until the 33rd year is composed of three bones, then consolidates into one, ending the growth period. The next 33 years is for work. The remaining period is for the enjoyment of fruits of labor.

"Many people who get stout at their 40th year think they are in shape. Mistaken idea. Stoutness at 40 is a sign of old age much as gray hair. When it is noticed, the diet should be cut down one-third. The ideal old age is to be lean, spare and active. Old age loves fat, while youth detests it.

"Oats for children and Indian corn for adults is almost perfect food. Meat is the only food for a severe effort. Too much meat, however, causes bad temper. The nearest approach to a perfect brain stimulant is coffee.

SHORTAGE MAY REACH $132,000

So Says a Director of the Closed Lorain Bank.

Cashier Admits it May Be $102,000.

Lorain, April 4—A director of the closed Citizen's Savings bank is responsible for the statement that the shortage in the bank may reach $132,000. Counsel for the accused men said tonight that he did not believe the shortage would be so large and that it would not exceed $102,000. He said that Cashier Kaneen admits that the discrepancy may be $102,000 but knows nothing about the larger sum.

Another director of the bank advocated the plan of advocating a loan and paying a 50 per cent dividend to the bank creditors at once. As soon as the examination of the books have been made to indicate the exact amount of the shortage. It is said that this will be done.

WHAT'S WRONG?

Something Doing in Local Postal

CIRCLES—SEVERAL INSPECTORS HAVE BEEN IN TOWN FOR TWO DAYS.

Something is likely to drop in the circle of the local postoffice. Inspectors numbering three have been in the city for two days and it is evident there's something doing, but just the nature of the doing could not be learned.

There is one story to the effect that rules and regulations of Uncle Sam have been violated and that somebody's scalp is soon to dangle. Another report is that owing to factional strife life is being made miserable for one of the postoffice attaches.

DO YOU KNOW.

That the Lima Steam Laundry makes a specialty of medium gloss work. Give us a trial. 209 east High street. 21-3t

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas Eclectric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief.

ANOTHER

Veteran Employe at the C. H. & D. Shops.

LEAVES THE SERVICES, TENDERED HIS RESIGNATION YESTERDAY.

After a service of thirty-five years or more Fred E. Thompson, of west High street, resigned yesterday as foreman of the wood working mill at the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton shops. E. W. Jones, who came here from the Denver & Rio Grande railroad is his successor.

SWELL

Dance Tomorrow Night at the

AUDITORIUM—FREY'S FULL ORCHESTRA HAS BEEN ENGAGED FOR THE OCCASION AND A GREAT TIME IS ASSURED.

The dance to be given by Professor Finley at the Auditorium tomorrow evening, will be one of the swellest ever held at the Auditorium. Professor Frey's full orchestra has been engaged for the occasion and other arrangements made for one of the most delightful evenings imaginable. A general invitation is extended to all members of the various dancing clubs who hold their parties at the Auditorium. It will be the regular Wednesday night dance and you'll miss a treat if you stay away.

It's the little colds that grow into big colds; the big colds that end in consumption and death. Watch the little colds. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Secretary Chase's resignation as the head of the local Y. M. C. A. is effective tonight. The directors will meet tonight and at that time his successor will likely be named. Mr. Chase will leave tomorrow for his new home in Hamilton, his family will follow him later.

"Some time ago I received some of your 'Easy Task' Soap from Pittsburg. It's grand. Please let me know at once where I can get it here."

Mrs. C. L. Morgan,
P. O. Box 111, Johnstown, Pa.

Women's Foreign Missionary society of the U. B. church at home with Mrs. Charles Stickney, 617 east Eureka, Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock.

Mrs. W. J. Edwards, of the Black block, left this morning for an extended trip among relatives in the west.

A wonderful spring tonic. Drives out all winter impurities, gives you strength, health and happiness. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. H. F. Vortkamp.

HO, FOR SPRING.



And its blandishments, its call for lighter and sprightlier garb! Shake off the old and heavy, put on the new and light. Our tailoring for men and youths is so well and favorably known so well approved, that we need only to announce the fact that spring patterns and fabrics are here in serried ranks for your early choice. "First come, first served." The season's prices will suit you. Fronts of coats guaranteed to hold their shape indefinitely.

Top coats $14 up; trousers $4 up.

Your credit is good here.

J. M. Spicer & Co.,

New 'Phone 1124. 124 East Market Street.

ANNUAL REPORT

As Presented By Mayor Robb, Giving Estimates of Amounts Required to Defray City Expenses.

At last night's session of the city council Mayor Robb presented the following interesting report.

I hereby submit my annual budget as required by Section 30 of the Municipal Code, giving to you the estimates as reported to me by the various departments, of the amounts required by them to defray the expenses necessary in each department for the proper administration of the city government during the year of 1906.

I have heretofore called your attention to the fact that there are other sources of revenue such as the Dow liquor tax, fines, costs, licenses, etc., available for these purposes in addition to the maximum of levy authorized on the general duplicate of the city.

The following are the amounts submitted by the various departments.

General Fund.

Council	$ 1 460.00
Clerk of Council	500.00
City Treasurer	1,270 00
City Auditor	2,450.00
Justice Courts	200 00
City Solicitor	2,450.00
Mayor	2,350.00
Mayor's Police Court	250 00
Sealer of Wts & Msrs.	150.00
Damages	250.00
Legal Advertising	1,650 00
Printing Bonds	100 00
Court Costs	350 00
Miscellaneous	300 00
Elections	2,250 00
Total General Fund	$15,980 00

Public Health Fund.

Board of Health and Health Officer	$ 1,250 00
Sanitary Department	1,450 00
Quarantine Department	3.500 00
Total Public Health Fund	$ 6,200 00

Public Safety Fund.

Fire Department	$ 650 00
Police Department	23,268 00
	18,805 00
Total Public Safety Fund	$ 52,723.00

*(If the three new hose houses are erected add $12,000.)

Public Service Fund.

Board's Department	$ 5 530 00
Engineering Department	5,200 00
Outdoor Relief Department	1 100 00
Special St. Improvement	21 000 00
St. Repg. & Cleaning Dept.	21 670 00
Garbage	650 00
Sewer Department	4 000 00
Market Department	1 465 00
Park	3.000 00
City Building	1.000 00
Sidewalk	1.000 00
*Street Lighting	25,000 00
Total P. S. Fund	$74,565 00

*(If display curb lighting is installed.)

Total for the four Municipal Funds	$139,468 00
Lima Library Association	2,000 00
Lima Hospital Society	3.000 00

Sinking Fund.

General City bonds	$ 29 000 00
Interest on General City bonds	34,866 25
City's deficiency on spl. assessment bonds	30,668 29
Small pox notes	10,000 00
Total sinking fund	$104,534 54
Grand total of all estimates	$249,002 54

The grand total of my annual budged submitted for 1905 was approximately $230,000 00. For the year of 1906, it shows that there has been an increase of $19,000 00, the increase being distributed as follows:

General Fund	$ 1,000 00
Public Safety Fund	2 000 00
Public Health Fund	700 00
Public Service Fund	2,700.00
Sinking Fund	12.600.00

The original estimates submitted by the various departments have been placed on file with the City Auditor and can be used by your committees in preparing your tax levying ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,
THEO. D. ROBB, Mayor

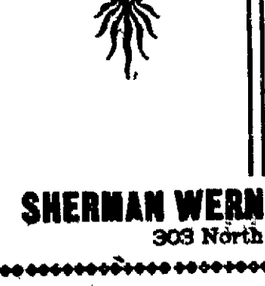
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Merchant's Lunch Served From 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. for 20 Cents.

The Popular Place for Business Men.

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ERIE RAILROAD.

In effect December 4, 1904.

EAST BOUND.

daily ....3:55 a. m.
daily, ex. Sunday....8:21 a. m.
daily ....5:52 p. m.
daily, ex. Sunday....9:35 p. m.
daily ....11:02 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

daily ....12:52 a. m.
daily ....1:43 a. m.
daily, ex. Sunday....8:41 a. m.
daily ....11:37 a. m.
daily, ex. Monday....4:38 p. m.

L. E. & W.

WEST BOUND.

...ly Ex. Sun., leaves....4:55 a. m.
...ly, leaves ....9:58 a. m.
...ly ex. Sun., leaves....3:48 p. m.
...except Sunday ....7:55 p. m.
...day only, leaves.......7:30 p. m.

EAST BOUND

...ly ex. Sun., leaves....8:00 a. m.
...ly ex. Sun., leaves ....12:50 p. m.
...ly, leaves ....5:55 p. m.
...day only, leaves ......9:00 a. m.

C., H. & D. RAILROAD.

...n effect Sunday, Dec. 14, 1904.

SOUTH BOUND.

...ly, leaves ....2:15 a. m.
...ly, leaves ....9:25 a. m
...ly ex. Sunday. leaves..5:35 a. m.
...ly, leaves ....12:40 p. m.
...ly, leaves ....4:15 p. m.
...ly, leaves ....6:15 p. m.
...ives, ex. Sunday ......8:45 p. m.
...res, Sunday only ......7:10 a. m.

NORTH BOUND.

...ly, leaves ....2:05 a. m.
...ly, ex. Sun., leaves....6:30 a. m
...ly, leaves ex. Sun......8:00 a. m.
...ly, leaves ....11:56 a. m.
...ly, leaves ....4:30 p. m.
...ly, leaves ....7:25 p. m.
...ly, ex. Sun. ar. only....9:35 p. m.
...day only, leaves.......7:43 p. m.
...day only ar. only......9:55 p. m.

P. F. W. & C. (Pennsylvania) Ry.

...nge in time of Penna. Trains in ... Sunday, Jan. 29th, 1905:

EAST BOUND.

Daily ....12:48 a. m.
Daily ....7:21 a. m.
Daily, Ex. Sunday....9:41 a. m.
Daily Ex. Sunday....2:51 p. m.
Daily ....5:49 p. m.
Daily ....9:20 p. m.
Limited ....11:02 p. m.
...to Alliance only.
...to Crestline only.

WEST BOUND.

Daily ....1:40 a. m.
Limited ....3:00 a. m.
Daily Ex. Sunday....9:28 a. m.
Daily ....10:24 a. m.
Daily ....2:38 p. m.
Daily Ex. Sunday ....5:05 p. m.
...to Plymouth.

J. W. REED, Ticket Agent.

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

...nge of time on the Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect January 31, 1904:

GOING SOUTH.

...ly ex. Sunday...........2:25 p. m.
...ly, ex. Sunday...........6:00 a. m.
...day only ....2:25 p. m.

GOING NORTH.

...ly ex. unday ....10:55 a. m.
...ly ex. Sunday, arrive..8:35 p. m.
...day only, arrive.......10:55 a. m.
...ns Nos. 1 and 2 run between Detroit, Michigan and Bainbridge, O. ...ns Nos. 3 and 4 between Lima, and Ironton, Ohio. ...ns Nos. 31 and 22 run Sunday between Lima, Ohio, and Bainbridge, Ohio.

C. & L. M. TIME CARD.

...H.		SOUTH
	Lima	9:30
	Gomer	9:11
	Jones City	9:00
	Seitz	8:50
	Elida	L8:35
		A8:23
	Donington	8:15
	*Leon	8:06
	Continental	L7:58
		A7:45
	*Rice	7:30
	*Southerton	7:25
	Defiance	7:10

Station.

OHIO CENTRAL LINES.

Time card in effect Dec. 18, 1904.

FOR COLUMBUS AND SOUTH.

No.
16 Lv. Wapak., daily........7:18 a. m.
16 Lv. Slater, daily........7:31 a. m.
18 Lv. Wapak., Ex. Sun.......2:50 p. m.
18 Lv. Slater Ex. Sun........3:05 p. m.
2 Lv. Dunkirk, daily........6:12 a. m.
4 Lv. Dunkirk, daily ex. Sunday ....10:36 a. m.
6 Lv. Dunkirk, daily ......4:20 p. m.

FROM COLUMBUS AND SOUTH.

No
15 Ar. Slater, ex. Sun.......9:15 a. m.
15 Ar. Wapak., Ex. Sun.......9:28 a. m.
17 Ar. Slater, daily ....6:53 p. m.
17 Ar. Wapak., daily ....7:06 p. m.
1 Ar. Dunkirk daily........11:43 a. m.
3 Ar. Dunkirk daily ex. Sunday ....4:15 p. m.
5 Ar. Dunkirk daily ....9:02 p. m.

THE WESTERN OHIO RAILWAY TIME CARD.

In effect on and after November 27th, 1904.

Lima daily at 8:18 A. M., 11:18 A. M., 2:18 P. M. and 5:18 P. M.

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First car leaves Lima 6:12 A. M. and every hour thereafter until 11:12 P. M.

First car leaves Piqua 6:35 A. M. and every hour thereafter until 9:30 P. M. 11:30 P. M. car leaving Piqua runs only to Wapakoneta. Last car for Dayton and local points leaves Lima at 7:12 P. M.

Cars leave Celina for Lima, making connections at St. Marys for New Bremen and Minster, also making direct connections as Wapakoneta for Botkins, Anna, Swanders, Sidney, Lockington and Piqua, 6 A. M. and every hour thereafter until 9 P. M. 10 P. M. and 11 P. M. cars run to Wapakoneta only.

Cars leave St. Marys for New Bremen and Minster 5:25 A. M. and every hour and a half thereafter until 10:05 P. M. UNION STATIONS AT ALL CONNECTING POINTS.

SOMETHING NEW IN HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS.

The Great Central Route has arranged for low round trip rates to Au Sable, Beaverton, Branch Brethren, Manistee, Lewiston, Cadillac, Gladwin, Kaleva and Merritt, all in Michigan, on April 4th and 18th, and on May 2nd and 16th. Farm lands are for sale at all the above points. For full information as to the farm lands write J. E. Merritt, Commissioner Colonization Bureau, Manistee, Mich. For rates and train service inquire of agents C., H. & D. Ry., or address D. G. Edwards, Passenger Traffic Manager. Cincinnati, O.

Until May 16th.

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The C., H. & D. Ry., is preparing to issue a complete list of names and addresses of parties who desire summer boarders. They also wish the following information, number of persons that can be taken care of and rates per week. This information will be published in booklet form without cost.

Send full information to D. G. Edwards, Passenger Traffic Manager, C., H. & D. Ry., Cincinnati, O.

LIMA TO COLUMBUS.

The popular route from Lima to Columbus is via the Western Ohio Ry. and Toledo and Ohio Central. Passengers can leave Lima at 6:12 a. m., Wapakoneta 7:18 a. m., arriving at Columbus 10:15 a. m., Returning leave Columbus 4:45 p. m., Wapakoneta 7:24 p. m., arriving Lima at 7:57 p. m. The parlor car "Hatret" leaving Wapakoneta for Lima at 7:24 p. m. Stops at T. & O. C. crossing at Wapakoneta for passenger bound for Lima. tf.

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Agents of OHIO CENTRAL LINES have on sale at greatly reduced rates, upon certain dates, excursion tickets both one way and round trip, to the West, Southwest and South. If you are contemplating a trip it will be to your interest to consult O. C. Agents before arranging, or call upon D. J. Cargo, D. P. A., 309 Madison Ave., Toledo; L. P. Lewis, D. P. A., Chittenden Hotel, Columbus.

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The Erie railroad will sell low rate one way and round trip tickets February 21st and March 21st; to points in Colorado, Kansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas. Special homeseeker's tickets sold February 21st, March 7th and 21st.

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Bacon, per lb............ 10 to 12
Spring chickens, per lb......8 to 9
Chickens, per lb............8 to 9
Ducks, per lb............ 6 to 7
Turkey, per lb........... 15 to 16
Wheat 1.08
Corn, per bu ....50 to 52
Oats, new, per bu.............. 30
Hungarian 1.54
Millett 70
Clover seed, per bu......7.00 to 8.00
Timothy seed ....150 and 165
Timothy hay, choice....8.50 to 9.00
Lambs per cwt ....5.50 to 6.00
Veal Calves ....3½ to 5½
Cows, per cwt ....1½ to 3.00
Heifers, per cwt.........2.75 to 3.50
Steers, per cwt..........3.00 to 4.00
Hogs, rough ....4.00 to 4.50
Hogs, straight ....4.50 to 5.00

LEGAL NOTICE.

All persons whom it may concern are hereby notified that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of James Hanes, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are required to come forward and make payment immediately to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same, properly authenticated, to the undersigned, for settlement.

Lima, Ohio, March 21, 1905.

Ensign Hanes, Administrator.

D. C. Henderson,
Attorney for Administrator.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio.

In the matter of the assignment of Henry Bruning, for the benefit of his creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Henry Bruning of Lima, Allen County, Ohio. by the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio

Persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the said Henry Bruning will make payment to said assignee; and persons having claims against said Henry Bruning are required to present the same to said assignee for allowance.

LEWIS H. ROGERS,
Assignee.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court of Allen County Ohio.

In the matter of the assignment of Henry Bruning for the benefit of his creditors.

Pursuant to an order of the Probate Court, in and for said County, I, the undersigned assignee, will offer for sale at public auction at the late place of business of the said Henry Bruning, in the City of Lima, in Allen County, Ohio, at No. 306 South Main Street, in said City, on the 29th day of March, 1905, all the personal property of the said Henry Bruning, now in my hands as assignee for the benefit of his creditors, consisting of a stock of groceries, dry goods, notions, tin ware, crockery, boots and shoes, together with all the fixtures, counters, scales, measures, show cases, used in connection with said stock of goods, save and except therefrom one B. A. Stevens refrigerator and one Dayton Computing Scale Said sale is to be of the entire stock of goods and fixtures now in my hands and to commence at 9:00 (nine) o'clock A. M. of said date. The terms of said sale to be cash.

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THIRD

Annual Missionary Convention

OF THE LIMA DISTRICT OF THE METHODIST CHURCH. BEING HELD AT TRINITY CHURCH

At Trinity M. E. church on west Market street, the annual missionary convention of Lima district of the Methodist church, is being held today, commencing this afternoon at two o'clock.

A number of returned missionaries will be present and speak, including Dr. West and Dr. Lyon from India, and Miss Elnora Seeds, just from Fukuokee, Japan. The missionary prayer meting conducted by Rev. M. M. Figley at five o'clock on Thursday morning will be of great interest and will no doubt be largely attended by all former parishioners as well as the delegates.

The Rev. Dr. Fitzwater, formerly presiding elder of Lima district, and now upon the Deleware district, will be greeted by a host of friends. He speaks tomorrow at nine o'clock. The convention will be presided over by Dr. David Bowers, who has done all in his power to insure its success. The program for today is as follows:

Afternoon.

2:00 Devotional services. D. Bowers.

2:30 Address, Rev. James N. West, D. D., of India.

3:30 Echoes from State Convention by Delegates.

4:15 Missionary Exhibit, J. B. Ascham.

Evening.

7:30 Song service, Prayer, C. W. Sutton,

7:15 Address, Rev. James Lyon, D. D., of India. Stereopticon lecture T. L. Wilsee. "The Holy City" Prof. John Jones.

FOR SALE—All unredeemed goods. We are again over stocked with unredeemed goods. 150 ladies' and gents' gold filled watches. $5.00 up; 300 silverine watches. Elgin, Hampden and Walthan works. $3.00, 12 railroad watches, 21 jewels, $15.00; 300 ladies' and gents' gold rings, $1.00 up. We have bargains in all kinds of unredeemed goods. Copeland Loan Office, 169 east Wayne street.

Mrs. E. A. Rasor was in Ottawa Monday, attending the funeral of Mrs. Joseph Annessor. Mrs. Annessor was well known in Lima

Mrs George Lenox, of Wapakoneta, Ohio, spent the day with Mrs Nye, of west High street

HOURS OF CLOSING MAILS AT LIMA POST OFFICE

EAST.

C. & E. Ry.—Alger and Harrod .... 8:00 a. m.
P. Ft. W. & C. Ry......12:30 a. m.
C. & E. Ry............ 3:00 a. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry........ 7:10 a. m.
L. E. & W. Ry—Bluffton, Findlay, Rawson, Mt. Cory .... 7:40 a. m.
L. E. & W. Ry..........12:15 p. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry........ 2:00 p. m.
C. & E. Ry............ 4:00 p. m.
Findlay .... 5:15 p. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry........ 6:30 p. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry........ 9:15 p. m.

WEST.

P. F. W. & C. Ry........12:30 a. m.
C. & E. Ry............12:30 a. m.
Cridersville, Anna, Botkins 5:00 a. m.
Detroit Southern Ry...... 5:00 a. m.
C. H. & D. Ry.......... 8:20 a. m.
C. H. & D. Ry..........12:15 p. m.
L. E. & W. Ry.......... 3:30 a. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry........ 9:00 a. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry........10:00 a. m.
L. E. & W. Ry.......... 9:30 a. m.
C. & E. Ry............11:00 a. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry....... 2:50 p. m.
St. Marys and Celina.... 3:50 p. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry........ 6:30 p. m.

NORTH.

C. H. & D. Ry..........12:30 a. m.
Col. Grove Ottawa, Toledo 7:40 a. m.
Detroit & Southern Ry...10:30 a. m.
C. H. & D. Ry..........11:30 a. m.
C. H. & D. Ry.......... 3:50 p. m.

SOUTH.

C. H. & D. Ry..........12:30 a. m.
Detroit Southern Ry .... 5:00 a. m.
Wapakoneta, Sidney and Cincinnati .... 3:50 p. m.

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Prompt Justice.

In the "History of Beverly," Mass., the following anecdote is related of a good justice of the peace in the old colonial times. On a cold night in winter a traveler called at his house for lodging. The ready hospitality of the justice was about being displayed, when the traveler unluckily uttered a word which his host considered profane.

Upon this he informed his guest that he was a magistrate, pointed out the nature of the offense and explained the necessity of its being expiated by sitting an hour in the stocks.

Remonstrance was unavailing, for custom at that time allowed the magistrate to convict and punish at once, and in this case he acted as accuser, witness, jury, judge and sheriff, all in one.

Cold as it was our worthy justice, aided by his son, conducted the traveler to the place of punishment, an open place near the meeting house where the stocks were placed. Here the traveler was confined in the usual manner; the benevolent executor of the law remaining with him to beguile the time of its tedium by edifying conversation.

At the expiration of the hour he was reconducted to the house and hospitably entertained till the next morning, when the traveler departed with, let us hope, a determination to consider his words more carefully before giving them utterance in the hearing of a conscientious magistrate.

The Professor's Wooing.

The experience known as "popping the question" is the bugbear of every man, however confident of his charms or fluent of speech. Many original ways of asking young women to marry them have been resorted to by bashful men, but perhaps the most brilliant suggestion came to a learned German professor, who, having remained a bachelor till middle life, at last tumbled head over ears in love with a little flaxen haired maiden many years his junior.

One day, after vainly endeavoring to screw his courage to the sticking point, the learned man came upon his Gretchen as she sat alone, darning a stocking, with a huge pile of the family hosiery on the table. The professor aimlessly talked on general topics, wondering how he could lead up to the subject nearest his heart, when all at once a happy thought came to him.

Leaning forward, he put his big hand on the little fist doubled up inside the stocking and said hesitatingly:

"You darn very beautifully, fraulein. Would you like to darn my stockings only?"

Fortunately the fraulein was not so simple as she appeared. She grasped the significance of the question immediately and lost no time in answering, "Yes."—Youth's Companion.

Why Girls Cannot Throw.

A great deal of fun is poked at girls because they cannot throw a stone or a snowball and hit the person or thing they are aiming at. The general idea as to why girls cannot throw as well as boys is that they have not acquired the knack by practice as their brothers have. Another explanation is given by a medical man which tends to show that girls could never learn the knack, however much they tried.

When a boy throws a stone, he crooks his elbow and reaches back with his forearm, and in the act of throwing he works every joint from shoulder to wrist. The girl throws with her whole arm rigid, whereas the boy's arm is relaxed.

The reason of this difference is one of anatomy. The feminine collar bone is longer and is set lower than in the case of a male. The long, crooked, awkward bone interferes with the free use of the arm. This is the reason that girls cannot throw well.

Such Stuff as Dreams Are Made Of.

The materials of dreams may be enumerated as memories of waking sensations, memories of waking thoughts and new sensations received in sleep, whether from without or within. Dr. Gregory mentions of himself that having on one occasion gone to bed with a bottle of hot water at his feet he dreamed of walking up the crater of Mount Etna and feeling the ground warm under him. He had at an early period of his life visited Mount Vesuvius and actually felt a strong sensation of warmth in his feet when walking up the side of the crater, and he had more recently read Brydone's description of Mount Etna.

On another occasion, having thrown off the bedclothes in his sleep, he dreamed of spending a winter at Hudson's bay and of suffering distress from the intense frost. He had been reading a few days before a very particular account of the state of the colonies during winter.—Cassell's Magazine.

Fish and the Alphabet.

Perhaps the funniest thing to be told respecting the antiquity of fishing relates to the holy wars which were waged in ancient Egypt over the finny denizens of the water, the conflicts arising from the circumstance that, as often happened, one tribe would insist with the utmost irreverence upon eating up the fishes which the inhabitants of an adjoining territory held in divine adoration.

The child of today, in learning his alphabet, calls the letters by their names simply because the ancient Phœnicians were pleased to make similar figures the symbols of certain sounds, and it is thought very likely that the Phœnicians have been driven to invent that alphabet by the necessity of corresponding with peoples of various tongues incidentally to the great commerce which grew out of the fishery.

The letter "p" is like a selfish friend, the first in pity, but the last in help.—Chicago News.

In 1790 Pennsylvania had a colored population of 10,274.

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Remember our clothing is the product of the best skilled tailor hands in America. We are anxious that all the people should partake of the purchasing privileges of this sale. We are not unmindful of what we owe to the support and confidence with which we have always been favored. Thousands have already availed themselves of the splendid advantages of this great sale.

Everybody Invited to Our Grand Birthday Sale.

Here's An Idea of What You Can Get for Your Money During This Sale.



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All this season's elegant new fashions and fabrics. A handsome assortment of all wool Cassimeres, New Cheviots, Tweeds, Scotches, plain and fancy Worsteds, all tailored in the height of present fashion. Garments of positive elegance. ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE



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Men's High Grade Hats, in all the newest shapes and shades. Every Hat warranted. Soft and Derby Styles. ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE

89c, $1.29, $1.79

Anniversary Sale of Men's and Boys' Furnishings.

Men's and Boys' Linen Collars, all styles **5c**

Cuffs 10c.

Men's Maco Yarn Half Hose, fast colors, black, tan and brown, **5c**

Men's and Boys' Full Webbed Suspenders, good Elastic and Mohair Ends, **8c**

Neckwear, Men's and Boys' Shield Bows, all new patterns, **8c**

Boys' Stockings, fast black, double knee, heel and toe, **8c**



Mens' Fancy Half Hose, full seamless, Newest Effects, **10c**

Men's Suspenders, French Web, Silk Lisle, with Kid Leather Ends **18c**

Men's Fine Spring Neckwear, Newest Patterns in Silks and Satins, **18c**

Dress Shirts, New Spring Styles, Percale and Madras, all sizes, **39c**

Fine Dress Shirts, Beautiful Patterns, Colossal Display, **59c**

America's Foremost Outfitters for Men and Boys.

BOUND

Over to the Grand Jury for,

UTTERING A COUNTERFEIT CHECK—JOHN C. BOYD BEFORE THE MAYOR.

John C. Boyd, the fellow arrested several days ago, claiming to represent several magazine companies, was arraigned before Mayor Robb this morning on the charge of uttering a counterfeit check. He pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the grand jury and locked up in the county jail.

DROVE

ACROSS THE SIDEWALK AND WAS ARRESTED ON COMPLAINT OF MRS. MAGGIE SHOOK.

D. A. Davis was before Mayor Robb this morning on complaint of Mrs. Maggie Shook, who charged him with driving across the sidewalk.

Thousands of sensible women have ceased using common yellow soap in their laundry, since they have found that one bar of "Easy Task" Soap the White Kind, goes farther than two bars of the ordinary yellow soap. Try it yourself.

UNQUESTIONABLE TESTIMONY.

BY SISTERS OF CHARITY, ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, LOWELL, MASS.

"We cheerfully recommend Father John's Medicine as a good remedy for colds, bronchial troubles, etc., also a tonic for building up the system. The ingredients of which it is composed seem to be perfectly safe and well worth a trial by all sufferers from troubles specified above.

BY SISTERS OF HOLY CROSS, ST. CATHERINE'S NORMAL INSTITUTE, BALTIMORE, MD.

"We have been using Father John's Medicine during the past winter and spring, and gladly testify to its superior merit as a body builder and general tonic."

PERSONAL.

Rev. Fr. D. J. Leonard writing from Cambridge, N. Y., says a young lady of his parish was rescued from quick consumption by the use of Father John's Medicine. "She is now well and very grateful for her recovery," says Fr Leonard.

Father John's Medicine has done wonders in my family, building up the children and keeping them well. —(Signed) P. J. McCarthy, 56 Nassau St., Boston, Mass.

SMALL FIRE THIS MORNING.

The fire laddies were this morning called to 322 east Second street. A defective flue had started a fire in the roof of the residence of George Flynn. Little damage was done.

WOMEN

Get into a Mix up Over the

VAN DYKE ADDITION—MRS. GERTIE BEERLINE ARRESTED FOR ASSAULT.

Mrs. Gertie Beerline, was arraigned before Mayor Robb this morning on the charge of assault and battery, the charge being preferred by Emma Rumsley. She was fined $1 and costs.

"Where can I get your 'Easy Task' Soap in this city? The storekeepers all have something just as good or better than 'Easy Task' Soap. But their say-so and my experience are two entirely different articles"

MRS. M. GROVE,
Box 64, Sta. A, Pittsburg, Pa.

The Ladies' Aid society of Spring street Lutheran church will have an all-day sewing on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. J. W. Robertson, 129 west Kibby street



SALE PETTICOATS.

VALUES EXTRAORDINARY.

Never before have we been able to offer such high class Petticoats at such reasonable prices—The valve of the material alone is worth the price we ask, to say nothing of the smart styles and excellent finish.—We believe our present showing of PETTICOATS to be the largest and most complete stock ever offered in this city.

At $4.95. Petticoats of heavy rustling taffeta silk, in black and all the new spring shades made with deep sectional flounce or accordian plaited ruffle, silk dust ruffle, regular value $7.50.

At $6.75. Another very effective design in taffeta silk Petticoat is made with sectional flounce, plaited ruffle giving a very full flare, black and all colors, regular value $8.75.

At $7.50. A specially good value at this price is a new model, with wide sectional flounce, finished with narrow ruffles and shirring, black, white and all the new spring shades, regular value $10.00.

We are showing dozens of handsome exclusive styles in black and colored silk Petticoats and you will find the prices as attractive as the styles.

At 89c. Petticoats of best quality mercerized satine, cut large and full, two wide flounces, finished with narrow ruffles and stitched narrow bands, regular value $1.00.

At 98c. Ten styles at this price, best quality mercerized cloths, plain black, black with white dot, black and white checks and colors, some are made with 24 inch accordian plaited flounce, others modeled with numerous tucks, ruffling and strapping.

Each style is cut on an extra full pattern and faultlessly finished. A dozen or more splendid values are offered at $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $1.95 and $2.25.

At 49c. Petticoats of good quality gingham in pretty new patterns, dark and light effects, cut extra full, wide flounce with ruffles, value 75c.

Agents for Butterick Patterns. **Carter & Carroll** The One Price Cash Store.

FRIGHTFUL RUNAWAY

Mad Dash of a Team of Horses Down Main Street This Morning

PLUNGED THROUGH THE PLATE GLASS WINDOW INTO ELECTRIC LIGHT OFFICE—JOHN THOMAS BADLY HURT.

Perhaps one of the most exciting and frightful runaways witnessed in this city for a long time took place at eleven o'clock this morning when a team of horses, hitched to one of Thomas & Son's egg delivery wagons, ran away. The steeds frightened near the Norval hotel on Main street, and John Thomas, colored, the driver, was unable to control them and they dashed through the square at a break neck speed and leaped through the plate glass windows in the front of the electric light company's office and when they stopped one of the horses was in the office.

The wagon contained seventy c..... of eggs, about 2100 dozen, and all of these were thrown from the wagon, making a mess that would make any Easter day look like thirty cents.

Thomas held onto the ribbons until the collision when he was thrown receiving a bad cut across the head and severely bruising his shoulder.

One of the horses was badly cut.

The damage to the building by broken glass will reach about $100.

LADIES FREE.

At the orchestral dance at the Armory Wednesday night. Gentlemen 25c. 2t

Mrs. Charles Foster, of Delphos, was a Lima visitor yesterday.

GOLDIE TO TOLEDO.

Goldie Young, recently sentenced to a term in the Toledo work house, was taken to that institution this afternoon.

GOES WITH THE LAKE ERIE

Leon Owen has taken a position with the Lake Erie and Western as night watchman.

SOCIAL AND ENTERTAINMENT.

The order of the Red Cross will give an entertainment of music and songs and lunch and a general good time. Admission 10 cents. Wednesday evening at Douze hall. Everybody invited.

TO ENGAGE IN BUSINESS.

Dr. Sineal, of south Main street, will soon engage in the cigar business and is preparing to open up a store in the Cincinnati block on west Market street.

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